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Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary

April 30,2007

#### **VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
c/o Natek, Inc.
236 Massachusetts Avenue, N.E.
Suite 110
Washington, DC 20002

Re: CC Docket No. 00-257 -- Notification Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 64.1120(e) of Proposed Customer Base Transfer to PAETEC Communications, Inc.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of PAETEC Communications, Inc. ("PAETEC") are an original and four (4) copies of this letter notifying the Commission, pursuant to section 64.1120(e) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 64.1120(e), of PAETEC's intent to acquire a portion of the customer base of US LEC Communications Inc. ("US LEC"). Specifically, PAETEC intends to acquire an estimated 200 customers of US LEC in 27 states. Additional information regarding the proposed acquisition is as follows:

(1) Name of each party to the transaction:

PAETEC Communications, Inc. US LEC Communications Inc.

PAETEC and US LEC are affiliated companies, under common ownership and control of PAETEC Holding Corp.

(2) Types of telecommunications services to be provided to affected subscribers:

Long distance, Internet, data, and frame relay services

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#### (3) <u>Date of transfer:</u>

June 1,2007 or as soon as possible, but not prior to the affected customers' receipt of 30 days prior written notice of the transfer.

#### (4) <u>Certificate of compliance</u>:

Attached hereto as Exhibit A is PAETEC's certification of compliance with the requirement to provide advance subscriber notice.

#### (5) Copy of notice sent to affected subscribers:

Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a copy of the notice that was sent to affected subscribers.

Please date-stamp and return the extra copy of this filing, which is provided for this purpose. Should you have any questions with respect to this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me at (202) 857-2409.

Respectfully submitted,

Grace R. Chiu

Counsel to PAETEC Communications, Inc.

#### EXHIBIT A

Certification of PAETEC Communications, Inc.

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I, JT Ambrosi, hereby certify under penalty of perjury that I am Vice President of Carrier and Government Relations, of PAETEC Communications, Inc. ("PAETEC") and am authorized to make this certification on its behalf; that I have read the foregoing document and know the contents thereof; and that the same are true of my own knowledge, except to those matters therein stated upon information and belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true. I further certify that, with respect to the transfer to PAETEC of affected customers of **US** LEC Communications Inc., PAETEC has complied or will comply with the Commission's requirements to provide advance customer notice in accordance with section 64.1120(e)(3) of the Commission's rules, with the obligations specified in that notice, and with other statutory and Commission requirements that apply to this streamlined process.

PAETEC Communications, Inc.

By:

JT Ambrosi

Vice President,

Carrier and Government Relations

Dated: April 27,2007

### EXHIBIT B

Copy of Notice Sent to Affected Customers



April 30, 2007

#### Dear Valued Customer:

As we mentioned to you in previous correspondence, US LEC Communications Inc. ("US LEC) recently became a member of the PAETEC family of companies, a premier choice for business telecommunications users. In order to better serve your needs, US LEC and PAETEC are notifying you that your service will be transferred to PAETEC Communications in the coming months. Please note that the transfer of your account will not involve any interruption of service or any change in the rates or terms and conditions of service that you currently receive from US LEC. Moreover, you will not be billed for any carrier change charges associated with the transfer.

The PAETEC Commitment to Quality. What this change means for you is access to a wider array of innovative products and services over a greater geographic reach, backed by PAETEC's unwavering commitment to quality in customer care, products, and service offerings. With the belief that every customer has unique needs, PAETEC offers personalized solutions that include, in many areas, a full line of telecommunications and Internet services, enterprise communications management software, security solutions, and managed services to help you grow your business.

**Cut-Off Date.** We hope that you will continue with PAETEC for the service(s) you currently receive from US LEC. You have the right, however, to choose a different carrier for service (if an alternate carrier is available). If you choose not to be transferred to PAETEC, please note that you are solely responsible for knowing and adhering to any contractual terms and conditions that apply to you. In particular, you may be liable for termination penalties under your existing US LEC service agreement. In addition, please note that you will need to ensure that service is ordered and provisioned by the alternate carrier no later than May 21. 2007, to avoid any risk of being without service after that date. If you are a customer of US LEC on the date of the transfer and you have not informed US LEC that you have made arrangements to switch to an alternate carrier, your services will automatically be transferred and your account assigned to PAETEC.

Transfer Date. PAETEC will automatically transition your current services on or about June 1, 2007. The actual transfer date is dependent upon all necessary federal and state regulatory approvals. US LEC and PAETEC will work closely to ensure that the transfer of your services to PAETEC will be seamless. We emphasize that your current services will continue to be provided under the same rates, terms, and conditions of service that you currently enjoy with US LEC, and that your local telephone company will not bill you for any carrier-change fees. If for any reason you have placed a "freeze" on the current services to prevent the unauthorized transfer of your services to another carrier, the freeze will be lifted and your services will be

transferred to PAETEC. At your request, PAETEC will re-establish freeze protection for your services after the date of final transfer.

PAETEC will work to resolve any complaints that you may have filed **or** raised prior to or during the transfer, against US LEC, that have not been resolved by the time your account is transferred. Notice **of** any future changes in the rates or terms and conditions of service will be provided to you as required by law; however, no changes are anticipated.

You are welcome to contact PAETEC to learn more about our company and the services we offer by calling toll-free at 1-800-978-7532, Option 5 or by visiting www.paetec.com. PAETEC is committed to continue providing the highest quality of services to you and we look forward to working closely with your organization in the future to provide additional products and services to meet your business needs.

Cordially,

Jack Baron

**Chief Marketing Officer** 

PAETEC COMMUNICATIONS, INC.